



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
SIVARAMAKRISHNA KUDITIPUDI, ET AL. )  
Serial No. 09/499,819 )  
Filed: February 8, 2000 ) SWITCH NAME, IP ADDRESS, AND  
Art Unit: 2142 ) HARDWARE SERIAL NUMBER AS  
Patent Examiner: ) PART OF THE TOPOLOGY  
Douglas B. Blair ) DATABASE

Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15213

November 28, 2005

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

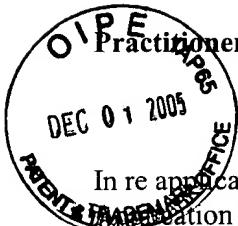
Sir:

RESPONSE

**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING**  
I hereby certify that this correspondence  
is being deposited with the U.S. Postal  
Service as first class mail in an envelope  
addressed to: Commissioner for Patents,  
P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-  
1450 on 11/28/05

Ansel M. Schwartz  
Ansel M. Schwartz  
Registration No. 30,587

In response to the Office Action dated August 25, 2005, please enter the  
following remarks to the above-identified application as follows.



AF

IFW  
2142

PATENT

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Sivaramakrishna Kuditipudi, Richard K. Shehady

Application No.: 09/499,819 Group No.: 2142

Filed: 02/08/2000 Examiner: Douglas B. Blair

For: SWITCH NAME, IP ADDRESS, AND HARDWARE SERIAL NUMBER AS PART OF THE  
TOPOLOGY DATABASE

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

- Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

## STATUS

- Applicant is other than a small entity.

---

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.8(a) and 1.10\*  
(When using Express Mail, the Express Mail label number is **mandatory**;  
*Express Mail certification is optional.*)

I hereby certify that, on the date shown below, this correspondence is being:

## MAILING

X deposited with the United States Postal Service in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

## 37 C.F.R. § 1.8(a)

X with sufficient postage as first class mail.

## 37 C.F.R. § 1.10\*

as "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee"

Mailing Label No. \_\_\_\_\_ (**mandatory**)

## TRANSMISSION

facsimile transmitted to the Patent and Trademark Office, (703) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_.

Signature

Tracey L. Klaas

Date: 11/28/05

Tracey L. Klaas

(type or print name of person certifying)

\* Only the date of filing (§ 1.6) will be the date used in a patent term adjustment calculation, although the date on any certificate of mailing or transmission under § 1.8 continues to be taken into account in determining timeliness. See § 1.703(f). Consider "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" (§ 1.10) or facsimile transmission (§ 1.6(d)) for the reply to be accorded the earliest possible filing date for patent term adjustment calculations.

## EXTENSION OF TERM

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 (fees: 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(1)-(4)) for one month:

Fee: \$120.00

## FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

(Col. 1)	(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)	OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY
CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT			
	HIGHEST NO PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	ADDIT. FEE
TOTAL	9	- 25 = 0	x \$ 50.00 = \$ 0.00
INDEP.	2	- 3 = 0	x \$ 200.00 = \$ 0.00
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM		+ \$ 0.00	= \$ 0.00
			TOTAL ADDIT. FEE \$ 0.00

No additional fee for claims is required.

## FEE PAYMENT

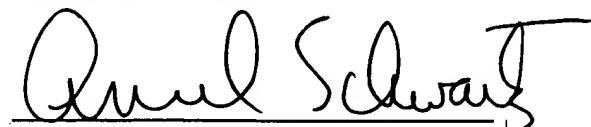
5. Attached is a check in the sum of \$120.00.

A duplicate of this paper is attached.

## FEE DEFICIENCY

6. If an additional extension and/or fee is required, charge Account No. 19-0737.

If an additional fee for claims is required, charge Account No. 19-0737.



Ansel M. Schwartz  
Registration No. 30,587  
Attorney at Law  
201 N. Craig Street  
Suite 304  
Pittsburgh, PA 15213  
412-621-9222